GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Services – RWS&S Engineering Department – Sri V. Gopala Krishna, the then In-charge Superintending Engineer, RWS&S, Vizianagaram and now applied for VRS – Departmental Proceedings initiated under Rule 20 of APCS(CC&A) Rules 1991on the allegations of appointment of Smt. T. Sakuntala, W/o Late Suryanarayana, as Office Subordinate without consulting the Government – Dropped - Final Orders – Issued

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PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (E.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 820 **Dated: 14-09-2016**

Read the following:

1. Govt. Memo.No.14203/Estt-IIA/2003-13, dt:8-5-2009
2. G.O.Rt.No.76, PR&RD (Estt.II) Dept., dt:10-1-2014
3. From Sri V. Gopala Krishna, the then I/c SE,RWS&S, Vizianagaram Lr. dt:4-7-2016
4. From the CE(Admn), RWS&S, AP, Hyd Lr.No. Vig. I/RWS&S/ 6083/2013, Dt. 28.07.2016

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ORDER:

In the reference 2nd read above, Article Of Charges were issued to Sri V. Gopala Krishna, the then In-charge Superintending Engineer, RWS&S, Vizianagaram, in having appointed Smt. T. Shakuntala, W/o late Suryanarayana, as Office Subordinate on compassionate grounds without consulting the Government which is in violation of Government instructions issued in the reference1st read above, thus, he has violated Rule (3) of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, Sri V. Gopala Krishna, the then In-charge Superintending Engineer, RWS&S, Vizianagaram, stated that he did not intentionally violate the Government instructions and APCS Rules. He appointed Smt. T. Sakuntala on Compassionate grounds, in pursuance of the orders of Hon'ble APAT in O.A. No. 1718/2010, Dt.28.03.2012. Before implementing the orders of Hon'ble APAT, he has taken legal opinion of local Government Pleader and keeping humanitarian grounds in view of social status of Smt. T. Sakuntala as she belongs to SC community and economic back ground and also followed the principle of natural justice. The said appointment orders were cancelled by the Superintending Engineer, RWS&S, Vizianagaram as per the instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief, RWS, Hyderabad. He has requested to drop further action in the matter.

3. In the circumstances reported by the Chief Engineer Admn), RWS&S, AP, Hyderabad in the reference. 4th read above, Government, after careful examination, hereby decide and drop further action against Sri V. Gopala Krishna, the then In-charge Superintending Engineer, RWS&S, Vizianagaram, by taking a lenient view, on the Charges against him vide reference 2nd read above, i.e. in having appointed Smt. T. Shakuntala, W/o late Suryanarayana, as Office Subordinate on compassionate grounds without consulting the Government.

4. The Chief Engineer Admn), Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, AP, Hyderabad, shall take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY THE ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY

PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR)

To

Sri V. Gopala Krishna, the then In-charge Superintending Engineer,
Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Vizianagaram, through the CE-I(Admn),
RWS&S, AP, Hyd

The Chief Engineer- I (Admn), Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, AP, Hyderabad

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